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## PATENT APPLICATION

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Enclosed herewith for filing is the following utility patent application; **applicants claim the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Applications Serial Nos. 60/178,795, 60/178,809, 60/178,810 and 60/178,857 all filed on January 28, 2000:**

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Title of application: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPROCESSING  
 AND POSTPROCESSING CONTENT IN AN  
 INTERACTIVE INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION  
 SYSTEM

Pages of specification: 25 (19 + 5 pages of claims and  
 1 page abstract)

Sheets of drawings: 6

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Claims	3	- 3	0 x \$80.00	\$000.00
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☐ Oath;  
☐ Declaration;  
☐ Disclosure Statement;  
☐ Letter referencing previously filed disclosure document; number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_;  
☒ Applicant(s) is a small entity;  
☐ An assignment of the application to:  
DIVA SYSTEMS CORP. (with Recordation Form Cover Sheet);  
☒ Claim(s) to priority - U.S. Provisional Application

<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Filing date</u>
60/178,795	1/28/00
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60/178,857	1/28/00

☐ A certified copy of a \_\_\_\_\_ patent application or inventor's certificate, filed \_\_\_\_\_ and serial no. \_\_\_\_\_, upon which a claim to priority is made;  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

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